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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE



In re PATENT APPLICATION OF

Stice et al..

Group Art Unit: 1632

Application No. 09/828,876

Examiner: D. Crouch

Filed: April 10, 2001

Title: Cloning Using Donor Nucleic From Differentiated Fetal and Adult Cells

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ELECTION

Hon. Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

In response to the outstanding Restriction Requirement, Applicants elect without
traverse, Group II, claims 28-34 directed to producing a cultured inner cell mass cell (CICM)
which may be transgenic.

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REPLY/AMENDMENT/LETTER

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This is a reply/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes the herewith attachment of same date and subject which is incorporated hereto by reference and the signature below is treated as the signature to the attachment in absence of a signature thereto.

SEE REQUIREMENTS FOR CLAIMS AS AMENDED

1. Small Entity claim

A. ☒ NOT madeB. ☐ WithdrawnC. ☐ made herewithD. ☐ made previously

For B & C
See Required
Separate Paper
(Pat-255)

Claims remaining after amendment	Highest number previously paid for	Present Extra	Large/Small Entity	Additional Fee	Fee Code Lg/Sm
2. Total Effective Claims	**minus 0	0	x \$18/\$9 =	+ \$0	103/203
3. Independent Claims	***minus 0	0	x \$84/\$42 =	+ \$0	102/202
4. If amendment enters proper multiple dependent claim(s) into this application for first time (leave blank if this is a reissue application)..... add			+ \$280/\$140 =	+ \$0	104/204
5. Original due Date: November 9, 2002	<input type="checkbox"/> NONE				
6. Petition is hereby made to extend the original due date to cover the date this response is filed for which the requisite fee is attached	(1 mo) \$110/\$55 = (2 mos) \$400/\$200 = (3 mos) \$920/\$460 = (4 mos) \$1,440/\$720 = (5 mos) \$1,960/\$980 =	+ \$0			115/215 116/216 117/217 118/218 128/228
7. Enter any previous extension fee paid since above original due date and subtract		- \$0			
8.			Extension Fee	+ \$0	
9. If Terminal Disclaimer attached, add Rule 20(d) official fee		+ \$110/\$55		+ \$0	148/248
10. If IDS attached requires Official Fee under Rule 97 (c), or if Rule 97(d) Request	add	+ \$180		+ \$0	126 126
11. After-Final Request Fee per rules 129(a) and 17(r)	add	+ \$180		+ \$0	146/246
12. No. of additional inventions for examination per Rule 129(b)		x \$740/\$370 ea		+ \$0	149/249
13. Request for Continued Examination (RCE)		+ \$740/\$370		+ \$0	1179/1279
14. Petition fee for				+ \$0	
15.			TOTAL FEE =	\$0	
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17. **If the "Highest number previously paid for" in this space is less than 20, write "20" in this space.					
18. ***If the "Highest number previously paid for" in this space is less than 3, write "3" in this space					

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This CHARGE STATEMENT does not authorize charge of the issue fee until/unless an issue fee transmittal sheet is filed.

Query: is appeal deadline now? If so, file Notice of Appeals separately.

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